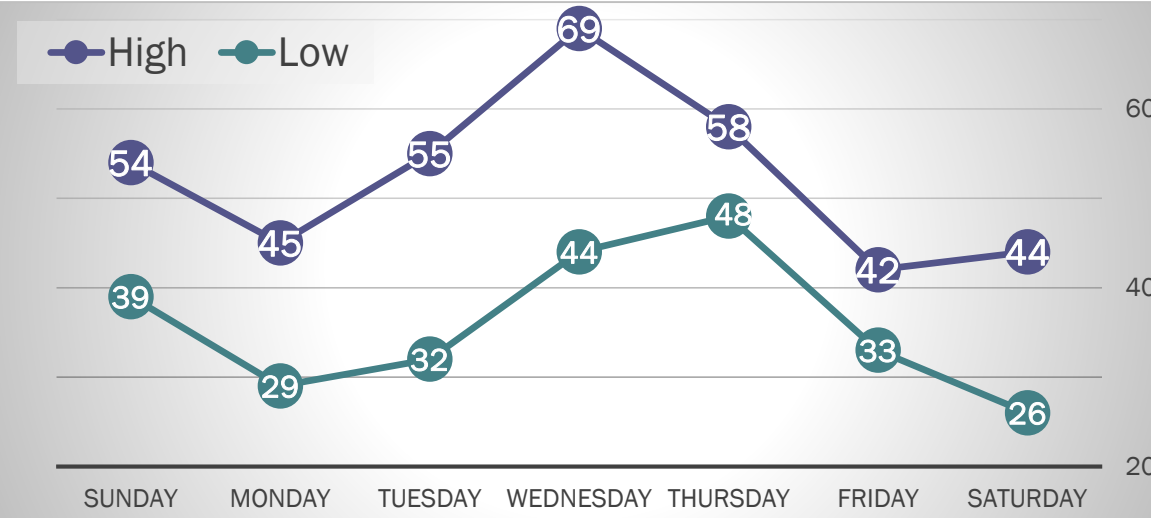




Flooding Continues with Warmup

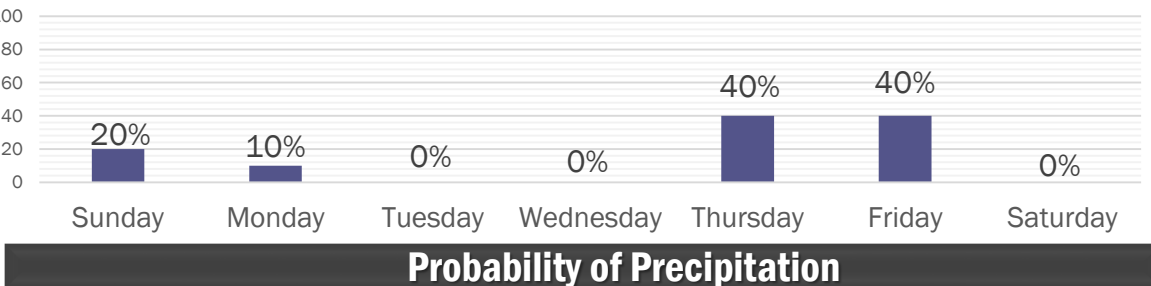


Highlights

Snowmelt leads to additional rises

Warm up Midweek

System brings unsettled weather late week



Message of the Day:

- Many area rivers are expected to remain in moderate to major flood through much of the next week.
- Mild temperatures expected much of the next week- warmest conditions mid week next week.
- Unsettled weather pattern next week may bring additional precipitation to the region late next week. Precipitation may lead to additional rises on area streams and rivers.

Important Forecast Changes



Water at record levels on Redwood River near Marshall in response to ice jam. Water level has begun to fall. Major flooding continues on the Big Sioux, James and Redwood Rivers.



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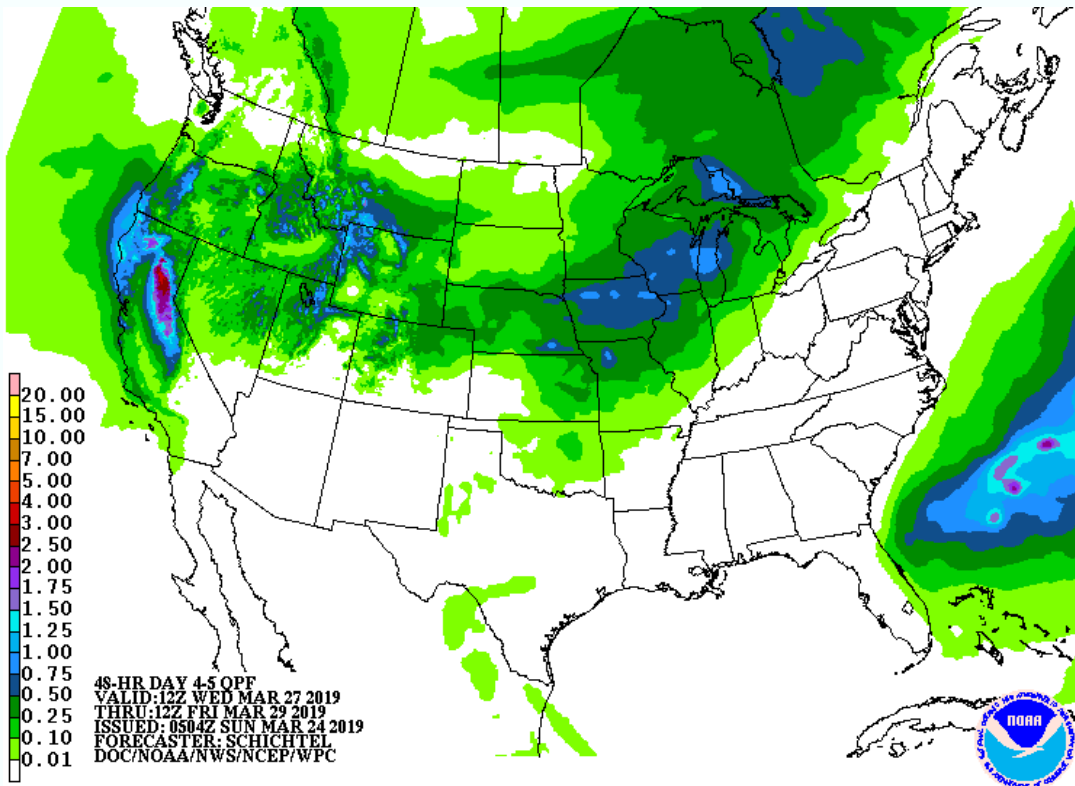
# Situation Report

Sunday, March 24, 2019 11:25 AM

## Day 4/5 Precip Outlook

### Uncertainty:

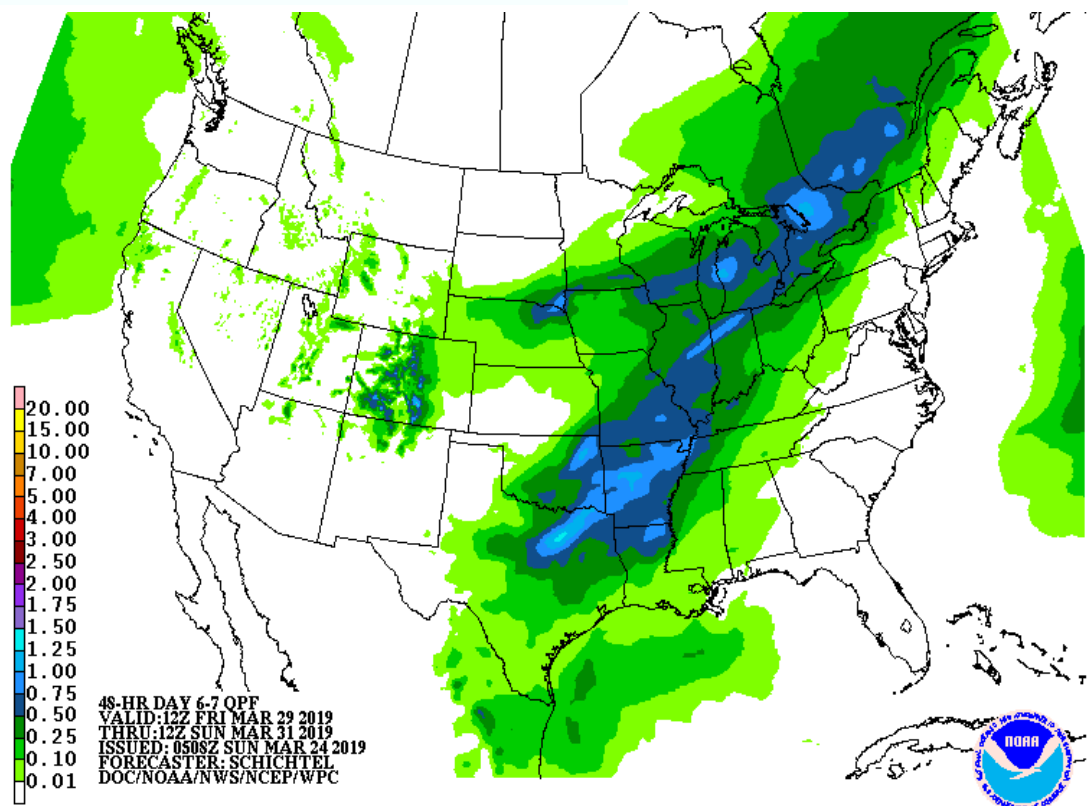
Precipitation type appears to be mainly rain, but track, amounts and timing are uncertain.



## Day 6/7 Precip Outlook

### Potential Impacts:

Additional precipitation may lead to additional rises.



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Ongoing River Flooding and Outlook



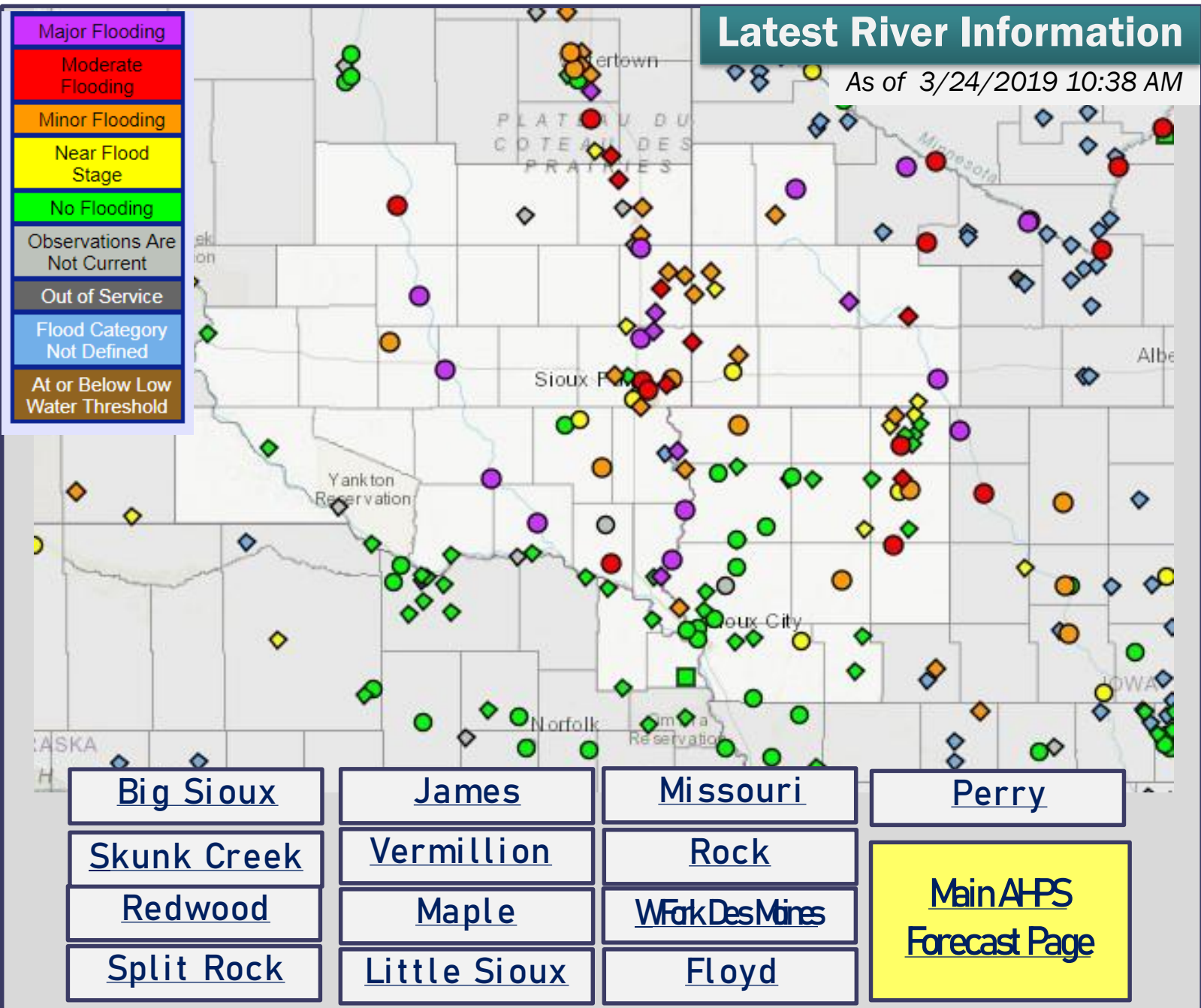
**Hazards:** Standing water and overland flooding will continue. Additional road closures and detours will be possible. Localized ice jams will continue to develop into early next week, especially along and north of Highway 14.



**Timing:** Flooding increases over the weekend and continue into next week. Major flooding is expected at the following rivers: James, Big Sioux and Redwood.



**Outlook:** Additional snowmelt will result in rises on rivers/stream through the upcoming week. Flooding concerns continue late next week as a spring storm system moves through the region.





## Message To Distribute



“Continue to monitor area forecasts and be prepared for rising waters as snow melt continues.”

“Considerable ice on rivers and streams may create ice jams resulting in rapid unpredicted rises.”



## Never Drive Around Barricades

- Most flood fatalities occur in vehicles.
- 12 inches of water can sweep a car off the road.



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## Area Road Reports



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